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Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-9.

Identification of prior art discussed: _____.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: The election restriction was discussed to clarify the claim groupings of the instant application. Currently, two groups are present in the claims: Group 1, claims 1-5, drawn to an apparatus; Group 2, claims 6-9, drawn to the method/product. Applicants elected Group 1, claims 1-5, without traverse.

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